HISTORY Life and Death

Of that most Noble Knight, SIR.

BEVIS

Southampton.

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HISTORY

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CHAP. I.

Of the Birth of Bevis, and of the Death of his Father.

Renowned Knight, whose Name was Six Guy, the Earl of Southampton, whose Needs did exced all the Malient Knights in this Kingdom; who thirding after Hame betwh himself to Travel: And first he sailed into France, Flanders, Almain, Brabant, Sicily, Denmark, Calice, Gascoine, Hungaria, Spain, Estland, Norway, Picardy, Scotland, Lumbardy, Wales: All these Parts he travelled in his Youth, and Tonquered all his Opposers with his unmaster'd strength, and Misozious hand, fighting under the Banner of This, agaist all Michianders whatsever they were. Thus spending the best part of his strength so; the Giore of Chiss, and the honour of his Connercy, he then returned into England again: King Edgar hearing that

that Bir Guy was returned, fent a Melleger for him prefently to do him honour for the baliant Deeds that he had done: Sir Guy with all fpeed rode to the Ming, by whom he was Royally entertain. ed, and all his Robles; andafter great fealling, the Ming, accorde ing to Sir Guy's belert, made tim Digh Steward of England : then Sir Guy would betake him to a Wife, and the King of Scot. land hating a fair Daughter, Sir Guy made fuit unto her : but the Emperois bother of Almain was a Suitoz unto ber likewife, and the loved Dir Murdure better then the loved Sir Guy; but the King her father knowing Sir Guy to be a moft poble Deer of England, he gabe his Daughter to him in Marriage: pet Mill the affected Murdure bett; but Guy not knowing ber hatred to him, retured with great Pomp into England, with his beceitful Laby. Bot lang after this be had a Son by ber, and they name him Bevis : At the Birth of his Child was exceeding Joy and Triumph, with many Sanquectings; Then Sir Guy was confident his Ladies beart was firmly link'd to his, with the never-breaking Bands of Love ; but he god Bnight, was much beceibed ; for the (like Tanus)bore a double face, one for Sir Guy, which frowned, but the other, which was for Sir Murdure, Imiled: for his Wife perceibing be was old, betok her felf to love Dir Murdure, and called a Derbant to ber, whom the might well truft, and faid; Thou must fail into Almain with speed, and keep my secrets, and say unto Sir Murdure the Emperors Brother, that I greet him kindly, and that I do desire him to provide a great company of Knights and Gentlemen to come along with dim into England, with all speed, and meet my Husband, which is hateful to me to look on, and tell him, that I will fend Sir Guy into my Forrest, purposely to be flain by Sir Murdure; and then tell him I am his: Bid him perform this and live with me; the time he shall meet Sir Cuy, fhall be on the first of May. The Mellage being beli: bered, Sir Murdure was refolhed to perform what the command: eb: fo on the first of May the frimed ber felf bery lick and weak, and called for her bushand, and faid unto him, That the would befire him to go into the forrell, and flay a wild Beaft for her to eat. This worthy Unight not thinking of her Treachery, tok a Steb, girt a Dword about him, and with a Spear in his hand,

robe to the forrelt with fped: By this time Sir Murdure and his Company was entred the forrell, who mæting Dir Guy, faib. Traytor, for the love I bear to thy Lady, thou shalt quickly lose thy life, and after this, i'le flay thy Son; for why, thy Wife belongs to me. With that Sir Guy fet Spurs to fis boile. and robe with fuch biolence against this Murdure, that he three him out of his Sadole : Then Sir Murdure thinking he Mould have been flain, cryed out to his followers, who came prefently and fet upon Sir Guy, and twoze be Bould lofe his Life: Then Sir Guy befired but to fight with Sir Murdure hand fo band. and then if he loft his Life, he would forgive them all; but they would not grant his requel, but flew him prefently, and cut off his head, and fent it to his Lady; who received it joyfully, and gabe the Wellenger a great Reward: this Treachery being accomplifted, Sir Murdure made halt unto the Calle of Sir Guy; and there was Royally received of Sir Guy's duife : where for a while I leave them to their pleatures, and now come to freak of young Bevis,



CHAP. II.

How Benis kept Sheep; and how he went to his Fathers house, and flew the Porter of the Gate, and many other things that happened.

Bevis hearing how balely his Kather was killed, ran to his Mocher, and bowed if ever he came to Age, that he would be revenged on her, and on that bale Traytoz, Sir Murdure. Mith that his Mother gave her Son a box on the ear, which fell'd poz Bevis to the ground: Sir Sabere, being Brother to Sir Guy, was very forrowful for the death of his Brother: and feeing his Pephew to misused, carch'd him up in his Arms, and carried himaway: his Mother sent presently after Sir Sabere, privately to murder her Son Bevis: Sir Sabere said he would, & dreft Bevis

in old Cleaths, and fent to kep his Sheep: fo Bevis went to the ton of a Bill near his fathers Calle, where his Uncles Sheen were. In the mean time Sir Sabere killed a Dig, and dipt the Barments of the Thild in the blood thereof; por Bevis all this while fat men. ing upon the bill, but hearing Trumpers founding at his fathers Caffle, and much Deloby, for jop that his Bother had obtained her belire, Bevis call off care of keping Sheep, & ran with his Shenherds Trook on his Shoulder to the Castel, and knocking at the Bate, the Poster benied him entrance : Illith that pound Bevis with his Crok, gabe him luch a bang on the Crown, which fell's the Botter to the earth; theu into the Ball he went, where Sir Murdure fat at Table with his Mother, and many Unighte and Labies (though all in Rags, be inewed them of what house he came on and with a biolent blow fruck Sir Murdure under the Table, and Cwore if it had not been againft Pature, be would fend his Bother after his own father. With that all the Knights in the Ball fought to lay hands on him; but Bevis fore'd his way through the m of of them, and got clear away : Sir Sabere meting Bevis running from the Caftle, faid, Wihere halt thou been . Bevis ans wered at my fathers Caftle, where I flew the Botter of the Bare and Knockt my father under the Cable, and was about to kill my mother, but that Pature taught me the contrary: Alas, Caib his Eincle, thou had betraved us both, pet once more will I fabe thee. The mother of Bevis (like a woman diftraces of her mits) came running to her Brother in great balt, and laid ; Wahat? halt thou not flain that young Cliffain ? Mabam, quoth be, he is beat: Clillain, laid the, thou lyek: If thou don not make him away the fooner, it thall cout thy life and his both : Madam, laid be, behold bis Cloaths bipped in blod : Bevis hearing ber fpeeches, ftept out of the Chamber, and was ready to tear her in pieces, but the efcaped out of his hands by the help of her Brother : then the ens treated Sir Sabere and another Knight to cast Bevis into the Sea, and brown him, which they did confent unte, to pacific her weath,

CHAP. III.

How Bevis was fold unto the Panims, and carried over the Sea into Armony, and presented to King Ermine.

A DE going to the Sea-Ade, they met with Merchants of Armony, Sir Sabere fold Bevis to them: the Merchants foon arribed in Armony, and then prefented Bevis to the King; the King dabe them many thanks, and Iwoje by his God Mahound. he never faw fuch a tweet fac'd Boy in all his life: Then the King asked him where he was born - In England, faid Bevis ; Talhole Son wast theu there? fait the King : Sir Guy's of Southampton quoth Bevis: I have beard much talk of the father (faid the King) and by Report be was a taliant Knight as eber vet Dieto Swood : I habe but one fair Daughter fald the King) and if thou wilt forfake the God, and ferbe Apoline our god, theuthalt habe my Daughter to Bife, and enjoy my Bingdom after me. Pot fo, mp Lord, faid Bevis, for all the Beauties in the Mould I would not beny my Creator. Then faid the Bing, wife thou be my Chamberlain? and when I find the defert, I'le dub! ther a knikht, and thou thalt bear my Standard in the field against my foes: What you please to command me, my Lord :: faid he, fabe benping of my God, I will do. Bevis was so her loved of the King, that were Durft tpeak against him; Dav. I ofian the Kings Daughter was in love with him. As it chanced on Chiffmag-day Bevis robe into the Hield to recrease himfelf, and meeting with threefroze Sarazens, one of them asked him what hav it was . Bevis andwered, I know not ; for I was not feben pears old when I came out of my own Country: Then fait the Sara :zens, upon this day thy God was born, and wilt thou not honous. the God on his Birth day . Des, faid Bevis, if I was as well armed as my father was, you mould know that I would honous this day better than ever you konoured your god Apoline: With that they all run upon him, thinking to kill him presently: but Bevis habing no Weapon, got one of their Swood away, and with the same made their Steds to run home without their Risers; for he flew and wounded all the Sarazens. The King hearing .

ing what Bevis had done against his god Apolive, swoze he stould dre; then Josian down on her knæs, and destred her Kather that Bevis might like, which the King granted: then Josian went to Bevis and kissed him, and dressed his Asounds, and then brought him to the Kins her Kather; who, when he saw Bevis so wounded, the Tears ran down his Cheeks, and then he prayed Josian to do the best she could to cure his Wounds, which she per sounded in a little space; so Bevis grew as sound as ever he was.

CHAP. IV.

How Bevis one morning flew a mighty wild Boar in the Forrest,

7 Ithin that Country there was a great Forces, and within the came there was mighty wild Boar, that deboured Man, Woman, and Chilo; Bevis hearing of him, one Moining early he faddled his Steed, and took a good Sword by his fide, and robe to the Forrest, to try a Combat with his wild Boat; and ris bing to and fro, it was his luck to find the Cave where this wild Boar was, and as he tred his Steed to a Tree, out came the Boar, and to allafled Bevis, that he was fain to theink back: then Bevis recovering ground, made at him with a Spear, and burit it all in vieces; then out he drew his Sword, and laid many a hear by blow upon the Boars Billes, but could not make any entrance into the flesh; at last by good fortune the Boar came at him with an open mouth, and Bevis having that advantage, with one violent blow cut his upper Jam alunder : at which the Boar gabe luch a erp, as would have frighted a thouland men, had they been in the bearing of it: then into his throat Bevis thruft his Sword and killes him outright, and with much ado cut off his bead, and fluck it upon the Truncheon of his frear, and to mounted himfelf won his Steed, and as he was riding homewards, twelve forecters fet upon him to take the Boars head away, that they might get the Ponour which Bevis had bentured his life fog: And indeed Bevis was unperided; for he (with berp joy that he had flain the Boar) left his Smold hebind him. but pet he made a pietty But thist with them, so, he killed nine of them, and the other the ran away: and then Bevis had free way to rive to the Court without any hindrance. There was many speciators to behold Bevis with the Boars-head, among which company was fair !osian beholding Bevis with great soy: and Bevis tesing Josian smile, began to rive Majestically towards her, and entred the Court, sair Josian bad him welcome, and brought him to the King; so when Bevis precented the Boars-head, the King received it, and gave Pevis many thanks, and sworehy Apoline, soy slaying the Boar he would do him great fonour.

CHAP. V.

How Bevis was made a Knight, and a General of Twenty Thoufand Men, to go against Brandmond.

Bout this time King Brandamond fent an Amballadiz to A King Ermine, to habe fair Jolian to his wife or elle be would beat him out of his Country: Then Ermine allembled all his Loids and Barons together to advice what to do: fome faid it was better to let lofian go, rather than to hazard the lofs of his Crown and King som: lofian knowing their refolution fooke to her fas ther in this manner : father (laid the)if you will be pleafed to make Bevis General ober an bolt of men, he would maintain your right and conquer your focs. The King hearing of his daughters words Cent for Bevis and bubb'd him a Knight, and chofe out twenty thou fand men to an under Sir Bevis's Command: then Toffan firred on his Armour, a gabe him a Dweld called Morglavithen the blought him a Steed called Arundel ; fo bir Bevis being mounted, Johan biewed him well, and finfled at him, and Bevis fmiles on ber again; and then faluting ber, away he robe with all his boft against Brandmond and his boft : Brandmond feeing Bevis's Armp co be no more, laughed at them; Doft thou laugh, faid Bevis ? The make the curle the time that ever thou camen hither ; then fetting his Golden Spurs to his Steed, he ran fuil drive at Brandmond, that Brandmond thought fure he fould have byed as that bour, and fging

feeing Radifon was flain, his heart began to faint : The Armies both bid fight couragioudy, and many men were loft on both Giorg: then Brandmond tok two of Bevis's Knights Wiffoners ; but Bevis met with them, and felled Brandmond to the ground, boile andall, and tok him Piloner : D fir, faib Bevis, I'te habe pout to Tofian : favemp Life, erped Brandmord, and fate me whither thou wilt : fo Bevis returned with great Clicory, and was Royally entertained of the King; and then Jolian broke her mind to Bevis ; quoth the, by Mahound, I be beure to be thy Lobe ; Dot to Lady, fait Bevis, T'le wed no heatheness; althich words the took bery fromfully; Bevis, perceibing her anger, fait. Lady adjeu. for I fall neber fe pour again ; and fo be left ber, and went to his Thamber ; then Jolians heart began to thiob, and what to do the knew not; at laft the fent two Knights unto him, to belire him to come unto her, but Bevis would not? then the went her felt, and fait. 99p Loid, I would entreat you not to leabe me now, but grant me that I that be the Wife, and T'le do whatfoeber thou wilt habe me to bo ; T'e foglake my Godg, and turn a Chaiftian fog pour fake. Sir Enight, og any thing elle that will pleace pou. At thele words Sir Bevis's heart began to melt, and being obers toved, be tok ber in his arms and killed her : The two Knights that Bevis rebeemed from Brandmond, hearing what words palled between Bevis and Josian, told to the King, which made him mad with Bevis; to to hing Bevis to his end, the King wrote Hetrers to Brandmond, to put Bevis to death, who was the bearer of the Letters. Where I will leave him and freake alittle of Bevis's Mincle, Sir Sabere, who was much griebed for Bevis, and fent his Son Terry in fearch for him ; who trabelled many Beathen Lands pet could not find out Bevis; but he twose never to fee England again, if he found him not.

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CHAP. VI.

How Bevis went on his Journey with Letters from King Ermine to King Brandmond, which concerned his own life, and how he fought with the Sarazens in Dames, and how he pull'd down the Idols, and how they put him in Prison, and what after befell.

Then tok Bevis his Letters, and posted away towards the the Land of Pavy, and has he rode, he law a Palmer, to whom he faid. What Country-man are you, and Walmer ? I am an Englich man, faid the Balmer, and I feck foz one I cannot find : what is his fame, faid Bevis ? his name is Bevis f.ib the Walaner, my fathers Brothers Son : I bate Leard of his Rame, qo. be, put I do not know him: I would I could find him faid the Walmer; be is about thele Countries, fa'd he; So after fome discourse, they parted; for Bevis, would not make himself known. but away rode he to Damas City, where the King did live, which was a most flately place: a entring into the fireers, the De thens were facrificing to their Gods, which was odious for him to behold: What Debil do you ferbe here, faid Bevis? and can to the God Mahound, and pulled him bown from the Altar, and thew him into the Channel: Then all the Sarazens fought with Bevis, but he plate his part to baliantly, that he made the Areets to run down withblod: for he laid about him to fast, that there wer full two hundred Sarazens killed that bout : then fome went to the King and told him all that was befell to the God Mahound, and how many were killed: the Bing all in a rage, twose by Mahound, Apoline, and Terganant, be should bye for his hold attempt, and as the Ming was going to fee what he fould be that had done this Dutrage, Bevis met him at the Bate of his Wallace, and fee na the King, fell down on his knees, and delivered his medlage: The Ming took the Letters, and bid read them, and they probed Creafon againff poor Bevis ; to this effet they were ; That laing Brad. mond thould put Bevis to death: Thus Ermine berraped him thet before had kept him from beftruation : Bevis faing what he muft truff to, with manly courage began to make another great flaughe

ter among them, four of five at every blow he brought to the ground he kruck fuch heady frockes, that his Swood broke, and after with his Kills brought to the ground firty Barazens more: at last eleminative obsertome him, thound his hands that he could not fir: Alas, said Bevis, let me not due a Dogs death but give me an horse and armour, a a god swood, and I will fight against an hundred thousand of you, so I due fairly in the field, I care not but all cured out against him, and said, hang him, others said burn him, some said starbe him to death: then bespake the King: he shak be deboured by the two Dragons in the Dungeon; with that they were all contented So in the Dungeon was he cast, but they unived his hands by god softune: in the Dungeon he found the Truncheon of a Spear: the Dragons seeing a Prey, made at him very strongly, but he dispatcht them both, and then he was at rest a while.

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CHAP. VIL

How Josian demanded of her Father what was become of Bevis.

Tather, fait Jofian, where is Sir Bevis . be replyed, be is none to his Country. At this time came King Jour, intending for to wed Jofian, which be obtained. And Ermine gabe four Arundel and Morglay, which belonged to Bevis. This Josian no way could aboid: Dow all this time Bevis was in Witten, and the Repers would go bown to fee him, being he had ben there the term of feben years, and fed with nothing but Bian and Water, they thought he was wondrous feeble, but he was fo arong, that he kill'o them both, being mionight, and fo ger out clear, and tok a bred, and away he rove: now when he was gone, they quickly followed, and Sir Grandere mounted on Trunchifile, obertok him : with that Bevis turned about, and fmote Grandere on the Bead; which blow clobe him afounder down to the Girole; then Bevis feart off bis Sted, and got upon Trunchifife; then he rode forward again. By this time many thoulands of Sarazens were in purfuit aftet him, & followed him to clote, that he was forced on Trunchiffe back to Cwimober the Riber; and when he was come to Land, with beep.

tery bunger he was ready to faint; and as he rid along, he faw a Calle, where a great ugly Gyant lived that was Dir Grandere's Brother; thither he hred and bounced at the Bate wlich roused the Grant out of a Dream, and coming out, faib, wow now sellow? what art thou weary of thy life? Bow camelf thou he Trunchifife my Brothers Stad? Wiby, fait Bevis, as 3 ferbeb the Brother, to the fer'e thee prefently : I come for fed, and that ile habe before I go : duit thou fo, quoth the Epant ? by Apoline I (wear, thou halt win it befoge thou halt it; 3, 3, faid bir Bevis, fle Dine at thy Calle, and thou fhalt Cup with the Debil : than I fo, quoth he ? and up with a mighey Bar of Iron, and fruck at him, which blow he wonderfully mit, but it beat out Trunchifife's braing : Bevis feeing that, nimbly leapt out of Saddle, and lato upon the Grant most Courty: the Eyant anding that he was bery frong, with a biolent force be fruck a Dart into bis Baulber: then, in the heat of blod, he made a full blow at the Grant, which parted his bead from his Body: then into the Castel went Bevis. and forced the Grants Wife to take both meat and brink, and be feb after ber : then into the Stable be went, and took a goodle Boife. and robe away from thence to find out fair folian, whom be bearly loved : and it happened that he mer with a poor Palmer, to whom be faib. Inho libeth in pomber Caffle? Marry, quoth the Walmer, there Dwelleth King four that martieb the fair Tady Jolian: and is the Quen libing,, faid he? yes, fir Mnight, faid the por Balmer : I will give thee my Steed for thy Meed, faid be. Wifth all my beart, restred the Balmer, and thank you too: then heleaved off his back, and gabe his Steed to the Palmer, and fo put on the Balmers offeed, then he took his way to the Caffe. where he found abundance of joys moze than he lookt for but at the first, Johan bib not know him , pet still be and the talked, that he got fo far into Josians fabour, that the gabe him leave to fee . Arundel, and then the knew Sir Bevis: for bis Steed Arun= del hearing bim fpeak, broke feben Chains alunder, and Beinte ed: then Tofian took Bevis ulibe into ber Garben, and there they both concluded to be gone : Boniface ber Chamberlain wag a truly friend unto her, and bowed to further their Journep, he would bo bis belt, then laid Jofian to Bevis; Do Lord, pou hall fap about mp Cattle a while, and pon fall

fay to the King that you came from Jury, and that King Bradwin is belleg'd by the King of Syrack, and bow he is like to lofe his Kingdom: In the mean time Bing four came bome, and Bevis told him all that Johan bid him: Wilh fent be not to me. faid the King - he did fend, replyed be, but bis Reffengers mere taken by Syrack : then four (wore by Mahound, he would rebenge his Brothers wrong : to with all fpeed be raifed an Army and went to help his Brother, and left Sir Graffy to rule in big fread till his return ; thing Jour being gone, they gave Sir Graffy a flepy brink, which made him lye like one that was dead, for four and faity hours : in the mean time, Bevis, Johan, and Boniface, got great fore of Poneps, and coffly Jewels, and then away they came for England : and as thele the trabelled, they were lo hard purfued by Sir Graify, that they were forced to take for their fuccour a Cabe for Belter ; fo there they flaged all one night : Rert morning Sir Bevis went out to kill fome beatt of other to brefs for Josian, for the was hungry : The while Bevis was abroad, there came into the Cabe two breabtul Liong, which flew pool Boniface and eat him ; whild lofian trembling with fear, the Lions went to ber, and laid their heads in ber Lap: By this time Bevis retur. ned to the Cane, & feeing the blood and bones of Boniface, wonbed at it, and entping the Cane, Jolian faid, good Bevis be careful. for here is two Lions in the Cabe with me, and thep have flain Boniface and eaten him : Bevis answered, art thou alibe? buthis I know thou art a pure Maid. Joffan repthes, I will beld the one whillt thou hill the other ; Bay, laid he, let them both come tonether; then Jofian fet them at liberty, and they came full bribe at bim, but he with his good Morglay, flew them both prefently, and to the quarrel was ended. Then Bevis & Jolian retrett themfelbes and robe on ward on their Journey, and as they went, there met them Ascapart, an unip Gyant, who was thirty foot in length. and a foot between big Cpe-biows, he was billled like a Swine, and his blobber lips bung a one fibe; and meeting, Afcapart faib. fand, thee and the Lady muft along with me; got Co, faid Bevis, thou that have but one of up, for I will try my Wanhood with thee art, and if you met the day, take it and welcome ; Then Jofian belt Arundel whilft hefought with Aleapart ; the fight continued a long time, pet Bevis abolding his heady blows, gebe Ascapart many

many a wound, made him roas extreamly : and being med, he laid at him with his cruel Bat, thinking for to beat out his Braine, but with that Aroke his foot Aipt, and down he fell ; Bevis would have Impre eff his bead, but Josian being pittiful, faib; Do not fo, let him go with us: Laby, faid Bevis, he may betrap us: Bo all my Bods, faid Ascapart, I swear if thou wilt lave my life, I will be true to thee and thy Lade, and do you what service I can? Then. rife and live, fait Bevis : So Bevis and Josian mounted Arundel. and away they robe, with Ascapart by their fide, till they came to the See, where they found many Sarazens and a Ship bound for Christendom, but the Daragens would not ferry them to the Ship: then Bevis and Afcapart made great flaughter among them, and killed a bundance of them : then faid Alcapart let me alone. Twill carry pou to the Ship. Boile and all : Co he took the borte under hig Arm, with Bevis and Jolian and waded to the Ship, where thep had welcome, and to failed into the Land of Colen, where awelt a Bishop that was Bevis's Kiniman, who bad them bery Well: some ; and after much bilcourte, the Bithop faid; duthat Country Lady is this? Bevis answered the Ming of Almonies Daughter. and the would become a Chillian for my lake. And what ill faboured Luther is this, faid the Bithop? He is mo Bare, faid he, and Tofian and he would fain be chiffened ; this Lubber is to big to be carried by a Midwife to the font, faid the Bifton; that istrue quoth Sir Bevis. But in the end Iplian was chiffened by the Bihon, and Afcapart had a font made on purpole to be chiffened in that was bery large; but when he came to be christened. Dut. Debil, quoth Afcapart, thou wilt biench me, 3 am too big to be chiffened by thee, and leapt over the font, and away he went.

How Bevis flew a dreadful Dragon, and what after chanced.



Evis being in bed, heard a knigha cry, Ikot, Ikot, at which Lad noi'e Bevis wondzed: and the nert mouning he asked what was the cause of that noise: He was a knight, said they, that coming through the arest the Diagon met with and cak her Uenome upon him, whereof he rotted and dyed, andhere is that Diagon? said Bevis; Not far from this place, said they. Then Bevis called Ascapart to go with him, and Ascapart was very wisting. So together they went, and when they came near the place where the Diagon was, they heard the dieadfullest well that ever was: all hat Devil is that, quoth Ascapart. It is the Diagon, said Bevis: we mall see him anon. I'le go no surther, said Ascapart, if the roars so loud before we come to her, what we had been we sight with her? Hear not, said Bevis, we will teach her how to hold her Congue, Parry, teach her thy self, said Ascapart.

Ascapart, for I will no back again : then farewel, faib Bevis, 3 will go my felt; to forward went Bevis, & backward went Afcapart, Bevis coming near ber Den, the made forth, but neber was Luch a Diagon feen in the world as this was, from her beat to Wail mas full forty foot, ber Scales aliffered as bright as Silter. and hard as fliut; have at the Debils face, faid Bevis and out he brew his good Morglay, (on the Dragon laid, but her Scales to s Co hard, his Sword cry'd twang, a neber entred : then the Diagon Truck Bevis to the ground, a up he got again : but the came on to fercely that Bevis went back, a by chance fell into a delitt elle the Dragon bad befrop's bim; it feemsthe delell was holy water, & no benome might come within leben foot of it : there Bevis refres they himfelf, e brank of the adlater : and recovering his Grength. to the Wearon be went again to have the other hour; but the Deagon affailed him to fore that Bevis was afraid he thould have lot his life, per with a baliant heart he frood to her foutly : the Dias gon Anding him to Grong bulke a Ballon of her Wenome upon him. which fell'd him dead to the around, a his Armour burit all to pies ceg: the Deagon feeing be lay fo fill, the turned bim with her tail, that be tumbled into the allell, and the water thereof expelled the Menome, and n'ade himfelf fafe and found again; then be was a joyful man, and fet upon the Dragon again : and when they has fought a long time, the Diagon would have been gone, and thinks ing to raife her feif, Il ted up her wings: Dabe at thee now, faid Bevis; and with one found blow hitting her under the wing, piers ced ber to the heart; with that the gabe fuch a cry, which made t'e earth tremble; the being bead, Bevis beheaded ber, and put it upon his tpear, and to robe home: a when the people fato him coming. they gave a great thour, as at a Kings Coronation, & all the bells in the Town vid ring, and all manner of Wulck play'd before Bevis, as he rope through the Comn, where with great Joy his Aincle reciebed bim.

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CHAP. IX.

How Bevis raised an Army against Sir Mundure.

NTOw Bevis was willing to give over Travel, and fee to get his own Inheritinee; he therefore got an hundred Waliant Souldiers of his Uncle, and falled into England, and landed near unto Southampton, and fent a Enfaht unto Sit Murdure, to tell blin, that a Enight of Almain, hearing of his troubles, was come to aid and affilt bim againft Sir Sabere : the Iknight habing tolk bis Mellage, Sit Murdure bellreb to fee bim: Bevis knowing that, went to the Caffle; Sir Murdure and his wife bis bim bery melcome, and then belired to know his Dame ; my Dameis Gerrard, fall Bevis, and I bearing of thele Wars, habe brought ober a bundien cholen men, to belp to maintain pour right : 9 afbe you thanks, fair Sir Murdure; but you must furnish us with Doite and Army (quoth Bevis :) 3, and of the belt 3 have too. for every man thall chule his own Steed and Arms, Laft Sie Murdure : Then habe at Sir Sabere, faib Bevis : fo to Supper they went, and after Supper, Sir Murdure, to make his matter good, told Bevis, that the Caffle was once another Anights that mag his Debreellog : and fait he by mistortune mag flain : bab be never a Chilo by his Laby? Des, laid Dir Murdure : In he dead or living, fait Bevis? I know not, quoth he, when he was poured he fold me bis Cattle, and all bis Inheritance, and fpent the 900 ney, and then went beyond Sea and what is became of him I cannot tell: If be wete fuch a one, talo Bevis, it is no matter where he id. Do after many feberel Diltourles of fazeign Countries, to bed they went, and then Bevis e his men were furnished with all things fitting for ferbice. Ships bring premereb for that purpole, they took their leaves of bir Murdure and bis Laby far that time, and failed to the file of Wight, where Dir Sabere dimelt.

CHAP. X.

How a Knight Wedded fair Josian in Coler, against her Will, and what after befell.



Josian all this while was in Colen with Ascapart; In that Country lines a Anight called the Earl of Milo, who over Josian, but the would not prilo unto his will; to take her by some he burd not, so, sear of Ascapart: Therefore he werte Lesters in the Bame of Dir Bevis, that Ascapart hould come to him: when he had bone, he tent the Letters to Josian, and the rectibed them as from Dir Bevis; and then reading them,

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the was tery glad to hear from her beareft friend : to the gode the Bearer a great reward & fent Afcapart with bim, not thinking tow the was berray's : when as they came to the Cattle, Afcapart was put in a Dungeon, inflead of fæing bis Maffer : then the luft: ful Carl went to Jofian, e told ber bow be bad ferbed ber, & Afapart was fall in the Canle : Dalt thou ferbed me fo . faid be think not hereby eber to habe the will on me : Then the billian would habe rabifed ber, but the (rather than fuffer Rape) pielbed to marry him : Then be was bery jogful, e fent tog all the Res. & Centlenien, & the nest bap was married to Jolian i & after great feating at night to bed the went, e all his valiant wire. was in the Chamber with him: then Jolian (to habe opportunity) pray'o him to fent all the company away, which was performed pretently; the Curtains being clote about the Bed, Be made a famte, c as he far be the bed-fice de Aipping it ober bis beab arangl's him, & bung kim over a beam : In the mouning bis friends came to gibe bin top . Jofian lait look where he hangs : then they were all'amaged. per they took lolian & carried ber to the Rake to be burned. In the mean time Alcapare broke out of tha Cattle, & gor into affifet boar, then cothing himfelf to Land, he met with Bevis, a told all that hab happened : lo they both went, & found Jofian at a fake to be buinted ; there they fought comagioufly, e telealed Joffan, then they went all three to Sir Sabere, where they were Royally entertained.

CHAP. VI.

How Bebis and Sir Sabere raised Arms against Mutbure, with other things that happen'd.

Then Bevis-fent word to Sir Murdure, That he thanked him for his Arms, and had him prepare to Battle: So Murdure and his holf came to the file of Wight, where Bevis met with him, and between them was a blady Battel: Sir Sabere, Bevis, and Asca part, made such haveck with them, that they dew all chat came near them; and Ascapart to his Murdure and carried him to

the Calle, & put him in a Cauldion of boyling Pitch and Bim. Kone; the Almain Army fled, and the King of England with his forces run away. Sir Murdure's Lady fæing this, thew her felf



wom from the Callie and broke her neck: then Bevis gabe rich Bifts to the foldiers, and was placed in Southampton: then he married Josian, a afterwards went to be homage to King Edgar, who was exceeding joyful to fee Bevis, a made him Lord Parthal of England of King a fon would have bought Arundel, but Bevis would not fell him for gold not filder; then the Prince would take him by force; but coming into the Stable, Arundel heat out his Brains: The King hearing this, was in wrath with Bevis, and twoje he thould ope; but at last it was concluded, he thould only be banived the Lynd: so Bevis surrended up all his whole Grate to Sir Sabere, and took Josian, Terry, and Ascapart along with him.

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And as they went Jolian Cell in labo; then were they in a Forreit and logian tio them walk away till the was belivered fo Terry & Bevis went togerher, and Afcaprit went another way ; and when the mas belibered, Afcapart came to Jofian, and carried ber away : Revis and Terry came and found two Children, but not the morber. to Bevis tok the Infants naming the elbeit Guy, and the rounger Miles, and wene bis way, and in bis journep met accidentally with a forreffer a fifberman, woom with good ftore of Galo te hier rotake his Chiltien to Quete, & engaged them at leben years em to lying them to one Bevis of Hampton, and they though he relies bed to their belires: they took the Infants and the Gold, promifing to perform all things accordingly; and to Bevis and big bons mirted : but Sabere, and twelve Eniabed with Jim, followen Afcapart, in Balmers Beeds, and obertook him near the City of Mambrant, fought wieh bier, and few tim on the place : Then he redemed fair lofian, to her great joy, and carrying ber to his Inn, there be met with Dir Bevis:and Terry ; at wileh eime, to compleat their bappinels, the forcetter and the fifterman toquale Bevis's two wone, who thanking them both tot their care, gabe them great Riches, and cauted them tot to be made Unights: food after this, there began a fferce War between Jour Ming of Mambrant, and Ermine Bing of Armony, for Jolians lakt.; Wibereupon Bevis went to the atoof Ermine, and took King Jour Billo. ner, for whole Bantome be hat Twenty Tun of Bolb, and thie bundet white breedy.

Ring Ermine wants highly affects with this fatour, that to, Beyis his take he curred Childian, and a little before his deceale Ecounes Guy Ring of Armony, and Miles he made a Knight, where they likes a hace in great happinels a kaliety; but King Jour bearing an invest grungs, of investrate malice against Beying on once more excluded to try the fortune of Miles with him; to be railed a great Army of heathenish boregens, who with unbounted Courage allowish Beyis in Armony, being led on by King Jour himlelf in person; their charges not to gallantly, but they were repulsed as brakely, a in special botally course by the unconquerable power of our English Unights. In this shirmith foir Beyis meeting King Jour, had a lingle samper with him, in which lights

after many bloody strokes on both sides, King Jour was sain a his Army was wholly banquisted: Bevis then gutting on the Armour of R. Jour, rode to the City of Mambrant, where he was received and welcomed home by the people, intered of these Ring: he no sooner got postemon of the place, but he made than all become his Servants, and renounce their talks Gods, and rurn Chi stians, and by this means his fair Lady Josian was the second time at Mambragt.

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CHAF. XII.

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Thild Sabere continued thus tout Bevis tolings come une ... to him, that his wife was bifinberired by Edger King of England : tobereure 1 4e with Bevis, Johan and bis time Sons Guy and Miles, moteht to London with a grea Armr' and fought gains hing Edgar, flew the thousand of his Souldiers for the mone he had bone unto him, and to Sabere, and then he returned to Sout ampton, where king Edgar fent unto him for a party and in the conclusion made a peace with him, and agreed to marry his einelt Daughter unto Miles (Bevis bis Son) whomat that time alla he made Garl of Cornwal; the Weedbing being folemmised with great for, and barlety of Courtly Recreations. Sir Bevis, with lofian and Guy his elbelt Son, returned to their fee beral homes. After this, Bevislibeb in Mambrant, and then lofian fell fick, whomas accompanies by ber beloben Bush my both in Dichnel's aub in Teath : They byed borb in one bay, and were folendy Intereb in one Gjabe by Guy their Son, toho ratfeb a Bately Tomb ob'r them, to the Chetlading Memory at is Galland a Enight, and his most Royal Constant Laby.

So I conclude his Famous Adshere Pen'd; For Time and Death brings all thins to an. E. N. D.



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Of the Birth of Bebig, and of the Death of his Father.

2 the Reign of Edgar, King of England, there was a molt Renowner Unight, whole Rame was wir Guy, the Carl of Southampton, whole Deebs bit erceet all the Malient Enighes in this Kingbom; who, thirding after fame, betoot himfelt to Crabel: And firft be Sailed into France, Flanders, Almain, Brahant, Sicily, Denmark, Calice, Gascoine, Hungaria, Spain, Eastland, Norway, Picardy, Scotland, Lumbardy, Wales: All thele Barts be erabelled in bis Bouth, and Conquered all his Eppoters with his Clamater's Strength, and Alabertous band, fighting under the Banner of Chill, against all Mithanbers whatloever they were. Thus fpending the bell part of his Grength for the Glory of Christ, and the honour of his Countru be then returned into England again : King Edgar hearing that-

that Die Guy was returned, fent a Dellenger for bim melently to bo him honour for the bal:ant Dards that he had done: Sie Gny with all food Robe to the King, by whom he was Karally intentals to, e all his Aster, and after great feating, the Ring, according to Sie Gny's befere, unde him digh Servaco of England: then Sir Gay would breake him to a tillife, and the King of Scotland habing a tair Daughter, Sir Guy mabe fuit unto ber : But the Emperoze brother of Almain was a Bufroz unto ber likewife. and the loved Sie Murdure better than the loved Sie Guy; but the King, ber father, inowing Dir Guy to be a mot Boble Dec of England, be gate his Boughter to him in Parriage: Pet all the aftered Mindure bell; but Guy not knowing her harred to him, resurned with great Boms into England, with his beceftful Laby. Pot long after thig he take Son buber, and they name bim Bevise At the Birth of his Child was exceding Joy and Triumph, with many Banquettings; then Sir Guy was confibent his Lables beare was firmly links to till with the neber beating Banks of Lobe; but he good knight was much weeken, for the like Janus) hope a bouble face, one to this Guy, which frowned, but the other, which was for bir Murdure, Imiled ; for his wife perterbing he mag old, bermk her fell to lobe Sir Murdure, and called a Ber. bent to ber, whom the might well trul, and left; Thou must fail into almain with speed, and keep my secrets, and say unto Sir Durburg the Emperor's Brother, that I greet him kindly, and that I do defire him to provide a great company of Knights and Gentlemen to come along with him into England, with all freed, and meet my Husband, wnich is hateful to me to look on, and tell him. that I will fend Sir the into my Forrest, purposely to be flain by Sir Burbure , and then tell him I am his: Bid him perform this and live with me; the time he shall meet Sir Guy, shall be on the heft of Pay. The mellage being belibreit, Die Murdure was refolbed to perform what the fad commanbed: Bo on the first of May the frigned bet felf bery fich and weak, and called for her thus. rand, and fait unto kint. That the would defire hun to go, into the Forrett, and flay a Wild beaft for her to Lat. This wo the Anicht nor thinking of her treachers, tot a Steb, gire a Smoth about bin, and with a Somer in hir bend, Robe to the Sogred with four. THERE DIE INTERESTED BY

Sp this time Die Murcine and die Company was entred the forth top meeting Die (1111), tally, cavtor, for childove, i pear to thy lady, thou hair quickly lade thy life, and after this, I il flay thy Sou; for why, thy wife belongs to me. With that Die Guy fer fours to his Date, and Robe with furth violence against this inductive, that he there dim out of his laddle. Then Die Murdure thinking behow hade be no him, exped out to his followers, who reams prefently and fertipon Bir Guy, and funce he bould lote who have guy tenere but in fight with Die Murdure hand to hand, and then if it is in his life, he would tay the gunstle, and cut they would not grane his Reasel, but hew him prefently, and cut off its Dead, and fent it to his Lady, who received he farfully and got the Bellenger a great Reward; this Treachers being at complified. Die Murdure made halt unto the Callle of the Guy, and refer was Royally received at Die Guy, allille, where for a whit I state them to their pleasures, and provide the Lagh. Of the Doung Bevis.

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How Estis kept theep: And how he went to his Fathers House, and flew the Porter of the Gate, and many other things that happened.

Devis hearing how balely his father was killer, ran to his to ther, and bowed if ever he ranie to Age, that he would be the then he speed on her, and on that bale Trayers, he Murdure. Third that his Pocher gade her hon a box on the Ear, which felled pay Bovis to the ground: His Sabare, being Hother to His Guy, was very forcowful tot the beath et his Brother; and fering his Fedher ho miluted, careh bhim up in his Arms, and carried him as way: his mother lent pielently after his Sabare, pibartly to murbar her has hon Bevisa. Die Sabare laid he would, 4 diell Bevis in old Cloath.

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Charps, e lent him to ber file bier: Do Bevis Gent er the top of a Diff near his Father's Caule, where his Ancie's Disp vere. In the main time Dir Sabere billeda Big, and wife the Garmenes In the mean time Dir Sahere killeda Pig, and tille the Garmenen of the Child in the blod chereof; pay bevis all this while for were ingappen the will, but hearing Trumpers founding or his factor's Coulde, and much Delong for joy that this Morber barbotoined her better. Bevis toll of care of kepting Dhap, and run with his Shepherbs crost on his Coulder to the Callie, and inacking at the Cale, the Potter benied him interance: Mich that young sevas with his crost gave him furd it bang on the trown, which fell the Botter to the Care, then linto the Hall he went, where Sir Mordore for at Cable with his potter, a many Knights and Ladies (though all in Ragis he spewed them of what hone we came on) a with a voicent Mata. Brack Sir Mandare under the Calde, and Capit (if the par blots, Bruck Dir Mardure unber the Cable, and fwore iffir bab not been agairet Parere, be wonld tend bis Wother after his own fa. ther. Mith that all the Brilghts in the ball longht to las bands on him, but Bevis forced fir may through the mide of them, and nor clear away : Sir Sabere meting Bevis running from the Caffle. faft. Where haft thou been? Bevis answered, At my Fathers Cafile, where I flew the Porter of the Gate, and knockt my Father under the Table, and was about to kill my Mother, but that Nature taught me the Conteary: Alas, faib his Wincle, thou haft betraved us both, yet once more will I fave thee. The Bother of Bevis (like a woman Diffraged of ber wirs) came running to ber brether in areas taff, and faft: What halt thou not flain that young Villain? Madam, quoth be, he is dead : Villain, fatt the, thou lyeft, if thou doft not make him away the fooner, it shall cost thy life, and his both : Madam, fait he, behold his Cloathe dipped in blood: Bevis, benting her fparben, fept out of the Chamber. and was ready to trar ber in pelces; but the eleaped out of his bands by the help of her brother; then the entreased Dir Sabere and ange ther Anight to call Bevis into the fra and bown bim, which they did confent unco, to pacific ber topach.

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190 noing to the Beaulite, tijey met with Werebanes of Armony, Dir Sabere fold Bevis to them; the Werthants fon arribed in Armony, and then pielented Bevis unto the Ming; the Ring gave them many thanks, and fwoje by his God Mahound, be neber fam fuch a fwert fac'd boy in all its life : Then the Bing asked him where he was been? In England, fait Bevis. Whose Son waft thou there? fait the Bing, Sir Guy's of Southampton. quoth Bevis: I have heard much talk of thy Father, fath the Bing. and by Report he was a Valient Knight as ever-yet drew Sword: I have but one Fair Daughter (fait the King) and if thou wilt forfake thy GOD, and serve apoline our God, thou halt have my Daughter to Wife, and enjoy my Kingdomafter me. Not fo, my Lord (fath Bevis) for all the beauties in the world I would not deny my Creator. Then (fait the Ring) wilt thou be my Chambers lain (And when I find thy defere; i'll dub theou Knight, and thou finds bear my Standard in the Field against my Foes. What you please to command me my Lord, fait he, fave the denying of my God. I will do. Bevis was to beloved of the Ring, that none durit fresh against him; nay, Josian the Ming's Daughter was in lobe with Lim. As it chanced on Christmas-day, Bevis Robe into the stell to recreate himself, and meeting with thentone Sarazens, one of them asked him what day it wan? Bevis andwered, I know not, for I was not feven years old when I came out of my own Counery. Then, tald the Baragens, upon this day thy God was born, and will then not honour thy God on his birth-day. Yes, fafe Bevis, if I was as well Armed as my Father was, you should know that I would honour this day better than ever you honoured your which that they all run upon bint, thinking to kill God Apoline. hin pelently; bue Beris having no deleapen, got one of their from the strape of with the fame made their freeds to run home with our their Rivers; for he few and wunded all the Sarazens. The King hearing to at Bevis had bond against his gen Apoline, findre

he stoute des ; then Josian town on her knees, and velice her Fa-ther that Bevis might live; which the King granced: Chen Josian went to Bevis and kisses him, and dressed his mannes, and then the brought him to the Ring her father; who, when he saw Bevis to mounded, the cross Rian down his Charles, and other he prayed Jo-sian to be the hest-the could to Cure his mounds, which the performs ebici a tierte ipace, to B. Vis giew as founts as ever be was.

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the principal air to a part with the part of the Torio a dispersion VV Jishin that Chuntry there was a grent forreil, and with in the laute there was a mighty wild Boar, that deboured Man, delounce, and Lhild; Bevis hearing of him, one Gogning early he feabled his Arren, and take a good Googh by his ide, and Rope to the lattest to try a Combar with this will Boar; and Red bing to and fra, it was his luck to find the Cabe where this will disperson the forcest to erry a Combor with chies will Boar a sond side bing to and fro, it was his buch so sud the Cabe where this will know was, and, as he type his steed to the was, one mante the Boar, and so slattled B. vis, that he was sain to think buch? Then Beris eccepturing stound, made at him with a spear, and buest it all, in pieces; then he drew out his sword, and late manys heady blowspon the Boars builters, but could not make any enthance into cits seld; and at last by good software the Boar came as him total an own mouth, and Beris habing clas advantage, with our bislent blow tur his upper sam as under; at which the Boar gave south a cry, as bould have stripted a chouland men, had they been in the hear, and of it? E hen turn his thook Beris chief his sword a silled him coursely, and with much abo cur off his beat, and such it smoon outright, and with much abo cut off his beat, and fluck it mon the Tranchron of his Speat, and to mounted himlelf upon his fieth and as he was Riding homeworks, evelbe Forreliefs that upon him to take the Boars head away, that they might get the homeworks but he lievis had tenanted his life for they might get the homeworks but he had faintly been been less that they may be the beat for the boars less than the base faintly Boars less his finest better him. Twogo behind bim ; bur pet be mabe a pieter with with them, to: he

killen aime of them, and the ather three can away; and then Acris having free than to Bide to the Square without any hindrands. There was many freetrant to befole Beriatotch the Boars have, among a hicknowing two fair folian, hipsthing Series with great Joy; and Beria tring Iolian limite, from the Albe Chiefficulty amonton has, and entered the Court, arts lating the him turkome, a drangite him to the Bing: Sa tuken Court publicate the boars beat, the Ring received it, and gate flores many thanks, and twose by Apoline, say theying the boars he was been been great Tonout.

CHAP. 3

How Rebit was made a Knight, and a General of twenty Thou-

A Bent this tinte Aing Brandroord fent an Amballabe, untre la Aling Ermine, to have lair louan a his divide, or eile he would best him our of his Country: Eine Ermine allembles of his Love int Barons together, to abole what to to, fone (all he was better to led Johan as, rusher than to have the loca of his Cinton and Aington: Johan knowing their Mediution, tasks to her factor methy manners. Father (lands) if you will be pleafed to make broke General over an Holf of men, he would maintain your right, and conquer your Foes. The ding having of his Bangisers buyles, fent ha desis and bublerhim a Ruight, and thole one twente there fant men as go under of the levis's command: That Johan firsts on his already, a gove him a two; be called Morgley; that he disting he him a fact called Arnadel; so his Boris being manners, Johan which him a fact called Arnadel; so his Boris being manners, Johan and them falleting he, among he Rode with all his hot again; and then falleting he, among he Rode with all his hot again? Arnadmond and his post: Brandwood leeing flevis? I'l make thee cases the time that ever thou carnell hisher. Then setting his Golben spues to his feed, he can full bythe at Brandwood, that flyandwood thought sure he foul bythe at that door, and feeling flevis, and feeling flevis, that pour, and

leeing Radi ion was flain; his bearr began en faine: The armies both vivilight charactering, and many men were tall on both fively. Then Brandmond took ties of Avid's Innighes Milloners, but Bevis net wire them, and feature and wond to the ground, spoile and all, and cook him Putgner: White, fain fleris, Rill bave promised Johan: South my Life, repositionational, and pute me whither thou with a Book my Commission of the Rame, and were leading the minute flowing another the minute flowing another, he may knowledge the results of the Rame, and were to both Later Hone of Later Dy, fain Bevis, All with no beathernaids; which makes the cook here of feeting flowing the took here of the Rame, and the makes the minute of the Rame. freing Radifon was flain; his peace began to faine: The armies ry fragrifully; Bevis perecently ben anger, (1810, Lato auten, for I spall neuer Lee you spain, and to be lettered, and went to his Chamber; then Johans heart began to chief, and what to be the knew not; at last the lent two Brilg braunce few, to before him to come unto her, but Bevis would not; then the went her felf, and faib, My Lord, I would increat you not to leave me now, but grant me that I shall be thy Wife, and PI do whatsever thou wilt have methat I shall be the Wife, and I'l do whatseever thou will have me to do. I'll forsake my Gods, and turn a Christian sor your sake, Sir Kinight, or any thing else that will please you. It these two sits sit bevie's heart begins to mick, and being oberiored, he took her in his strong and issue her: The two sing oberiored, he trough trom Brandmond, hearing what words passed between Bevis and Johan, told to the Sing, which make him and with Bevis and Johan, told to the Sing, which make him and with Bevis to to being Bevis to his and, the Ring proce Letters to Brandmond to put Bevis to Brach, who was the Beater of the Letters, where I will leave just, and species there is shere, who was much grethed to sevie, and sent his Son Terry in search for tim, who stabelled many bentjen Lands, yet tould not and our Bevis; his he swap never to see England again, it he found him not. ment him note. The state of the control of the The state of the s

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How Beals went of his Journey with Letters from King Crimine, to King Dyandmont, which concerned his own life, and how he fought with the Daragent in Damas, and how he pulled down the Idols, and how they but him in Prilon, and what after befolk.

Then took Levis pix Letters, and polity away towards the Land Pavy, and so he kots, befow a Politice or whom he min: What Country inners you gook Palmers of une an Englishman last the Ollins, and look for one I cannot sat where he do One is his One of the palmer, and he may last last he pave of his Came, quality mer, my kackers Korpers don: I have heave of his Came, quality in him have know him. I would sould find him, last the Palmer: he is about this Countries, last he: so acter some discourse they parted; so being would not make hintelf known, but etahy Kodehe to Damas City, where the Ming vid like, which was a modifically dies of Andrewing find the streets, the Bearlets were lastlifting to their Good, which was obsous so; him to best to Make and I sake guilled him book seem she Elier, and they him these pulled him book seem she Elier, and they him in a che Chountries so which was a solicity for him in a che Chountries so which was a solicity of him whom which was a solicity of him to be solice for him to be solice to be solice of the solice of the solice of the solice which so which was a solice so him to be solice to the solice of the solice Christle the Swarzens fought with Serie, but selfrade, start as more the Aversa arrange both that show that there was fully start that there was fully start that tens billed spill bour: Efen fune went as the King I that was buill to the God Mahound, and form led's the King all in a Koge, Gwoje by Mahound, Tenganany, hamould bye for his bold accompt, and Apolicies und l'erganance, su doculd die for his both accempt, mos and ets Acing to su going to be when he chould be rive lad done this Outrage, Levie was him ar the Bareuf his Pallace, and freing the Ring, fell boton on his knees, and deliverry plannellage: Che Aing, fell boton on his knees, and deliverry plannellage: Che Aing took the Lectus and do trad chent, and they produkt Accept and they pay Borie; to this effect they were: Chas Aing Arandminal chard pair does to tribe effect they were: Chas Aing Arandminal chard pair him both to bearly: Chas Ainmine between him their balos have been been been been been de made to be with manipulations between analysis and the mass tribes with manipulations between analysis again laughter.

rer among them, four or fibe at every blow he brought to the groung, he first fuch being freaks that his tword broke, and after with his stills brought to the ground first Sarazens unde: At last the multimor discress from, and bound his hombs that he could not die. At last, fish Bevis, let me not dies Dogadeath, but give no an horse and ermor, & a good sword, and I will light against an hundred thousand of you, so lady fainly in chefield I care not; but all cryets out against him, and fail done him, ether him to bear him, etheratain, lurn him, some soit against him to beath: Then before the King; De spall he behoure by the swo Diagons is the Rangeau; with that they were all corrected; so so the Dungran was be call, but the they were all corrected; so so the Dungran was be call, but the true were fails corrected; so so the Bungran was be call, but the unit of Committee hands are good secures. In the Sungran he found the Committee hands are good secures the magness secting a Tree, made at the a middle.

How Zellan demanded of her Father what was become of Benje.

Ather, faid Inlien, where is hir Bebis? He coplete, he is gene. If to his Country. At this timecame Ming Jour, introduce its upp Joine, which he chained. And Excuse gate long Arundel and Morglay, which he brings to level. This Joine is used could about a flow all this lime Boss has in Dillen, and the Respect would go botton to traching being he had been there thereing of fever pears, and he with nothing our Boss and Marie, they destroy be level; by heart there have the contract to the start were heart. of feben pears, and he with nothing his time of the flenght he was wendered feele, but he was to from them soot, being midnight; and larger out also, and and they are the self-but with he has gone, they will and office madere mountains. Frunchiste, abertook ther Beellemaner about, and finete Granders on the blots chase tem in funder boton to the Gicule , then desis kept of his fierd, end got upon True hible; abende Kavedhivard again. Sy this time many thursuly of Servence incredit multile other him, a full out him is chale, at the many faced, on Trunchiffs both. a Curin over the Mibers and injen ber was come to

terr dunger to university to fame; and as hertissions, he fave a Castle, distent a creat soft Gome must train mas mot visionaled of Duncher; thisper be treet, and summer he che Garg, which some the Opene out of a Distan, murconing out, fait, both now get law? Suppared the Opene out a Distan, murconing out, fait, both now get law? Suppared the Opene out a Distan, murconing out, fait, both now get law? Suppared to proper state that were a Cap, faith leves, as I freshed try sporper, in All break are privately. Frome for soon, one shared try sporper, in All break are privately. Frome for soon, one shared try sporper, in All break are privately growing Grant I have the point gree affect of two had to A. I fait but the fait green the fait growing the beat of I was the weight of the fait growing had a fill which a fill which are her our limited at his patterns for soon and freely at his patterns, soons leaves at him, which was a constrainty mile, but a ker our limited his distinct the Grant most most treet. The Grant and the faither, and labaran the Grant most freety. The Grant and the faither, which parted we form a blood by a mand a full blood at his Grant, which parted we for soon from the faither that the base of blood, he mand a full blood at his Grant, which parted we for the Grant and his parted we for the faither, which parted we faither that the faither was a suffered Carlinian the Grant which we faither was a faither was a faither which a possity which parted we faither that the faither was a faither which which a faither was a faither which which a faither was a faither which which a faither was a faither which which we want to be faither than the faither was a faither which which we want to the faith which was a faither which which we want to be faither than the faither which was a faither which which we want to be faither which was a faither which which we want to be faither which which was a faither which which we want to be faither which we want to be faither which which we want to be faither to be suff a trully flerib unto ber, and bowed to fact for thele Inivney, he would no bed : Then faid Johan to Beris; my
Lord you wolf and about my Cante a while, and the wall

The Gallant Hillory of Sing Bradwin is kevente by the sing of Syrice, any how the life in lote his kevente by the sing of Syrice, any how he is life in lote his kingdom: In the mean time kind Jour came home, and his following the life in lote his kingdom: In the mean time kind Jour came home, and the sing of the life had been time kind Jour came home, and the feeling of the life had been to him; Why left he not to me, Iain the sing of the life had to him; Why left he not to me, Iain the sing of the life him of him; Why left he not to me, Iain the sing of the provide to the life him of the him of th but one of us, for I will try my Manhood with thre first, and if you get the day, take it and welcomes. Then Johan help Arundel the matth be cought with Alcapart a she fight tuntinus a long time, get Bevis apolding his heup blows, gabe ascapare hang a woo

made him Roar ertreamly ; and being mab, be laid at lim with bis ernel Bar, thinking for to bear our his brains, but with that from bis foot flipt, and bown be tell : Bevis would habe famote off his head, but Johan, being pirettil, fait, Do not fo, let him go with us: Lady (fille Berit) he may beeray us. By all my gods, tale Afcapart, I swear if hou wilt fave my life, I will be true to thee and thy Lady, and do you what fervies I can. Then rife and live, faid Devite So Berks and Johan mounted Arundel, and away they code, with Afrapart by their ave, till they came to the Sea, to are they found many Sarazens, and a Ship bound for Christendom, but the Savarens would not serve them in the Ship; then Bevis and Afrapart name great flaughter among them, and hiller abundance of them; then fait Afrapart, her me alone, I will carry you to the ship, horse and alk: he be rook the boyle under his ment, buth Bervis and Josian, and mann to the Ship, where they had welcome, to said fosian, and mann to the Ship, where they had welcome, to said fosian, and mann to the Ship, where they had welcome, to said fosian, and mann to the Ship, where they had welcome, to said focuses, the Bidon fait. What Country Lady is this? Bervis Bingsmart, who had rhum tery affections; and the would be aniwered. The Ring of Almonies Bangbeer, and the would be this? (lastre Rings) the is my Barg, said he, and Johan amb per this? (lastre Rings) the is my Barg, said he, and Johan amb per this? (lastre Rings) the is my Barg, said he, and Johan amb per this? (lastre Rings) the is my Barg, said he, and Johan and he would tain he of history. This Lubbar is too big to becarried by a Midwife to the Fone, tare the Rings. Expirence to the Brittened by Afrapart bath four make the Childrene, Our Devil queth Afrapart; but when he came to be Childrene, Our Devil queth thee; and Irag stor the fone, and areas he went. dy, and do you what fervice I can. Then rife and live, faid Bethee; and leaps over the Four and away he went.

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CHAP. 8.

How Bents flow a drestiful Dragon, and what after chanced.



B Luis being in beb, heard a Rallett-ery t Rot. I Rot, at which I had notife Bevis wonderd, and the near morning he added what was ever easily of that notife. He was a Knight, last they, that coming through the litrer the Dragon mer with, and easil her Venome upon him, whereof he rotted and dyed. Where is that Maganetiald Brhis. Not far from this Place, Lab they. Then Bevis called Ascapart to go with him, and Ascapart to be there in the lace white the Bragon was, they heard the mentalises will that they work the Pragon was, they heard the mentalises will that they was what Devil is that? quoty Ascapart. It is the Bragon, faid Bebis, we shall fee him anon. I'll go no farther, said Ascapart, if she Roars so loud before we come to her, what will she do when we fight with her. Fear not, said Bebis, we will she do when we fight with her. Fear not, said Bebis, we will she her had so held her Congue. Marry teach her thy self, saturates her had separt,

Alcapare, for I will go back ogain : Then faretwell, fall Bevis, 3 will go my felf; to forward wine Bevis, and beckward wene Afcapart, Bevis coming near ter wen, for mabe forth, bur neber mas fireh a Dyagon fern in the Migila av thin man from her bred to Tall was full forty foor, let scalls glietered as deight as silice, and have as fillet; dade on the Sedils face fails evis, one out be deten his goods of glay came on the Deplis face fails evis, one out be deten his goods of glay came on the Deplis face fails evis, one out he deten his goods of glay came on the Deplie fail for the Deplis was led bath, his deep copy reade, a never entered. Then the Deplis on the face deep copy reade, a never entered. Then the Deplis on the face deep copy is a fail of the came on to face that devis were deep, and he change test into a well, et a che deate that devis were deep, and he change test into a well, et a che devis were the fail of the fail o Cail was full fogty foor, fer Scalls glietered as bright as Silter. Borit, an be robe elicough the Cown, fibere, wieh great Any, bis where the piece the new lainer graphers but that manufer there

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CHAP. P.

I'ow Brots railed an Army against Sir Ma dure.

Den Beris was willing to give ober Cratel, and fet to get his own inheritance; De elective got an humbich Stallance Southfires of his Alucie, and failed into Southampton, and fint a Anight was his Murdanc; to tell thin, that a Raight of Almain, hearing of his stouthes, however to air and and him against Die Sabero; The Anight hading solve his Affiliage, Die Murdance bestred to be him beris humbing thes, went to the Calle; Die Mandure only his wife to him terp belletone, and the drafte to know his Manne; any Manne is Gerrard, fain evis, and Theating of their Manne, better house, falleb to the file of Wight, where Mir Sabere buelt.

CHAP. 10.

How a Knight Wedded fair John in Colen, against her Will, and what after befel.



Johan all this wille was in Colen with Ascapart; In that Country live a Antiphricalles the Carlos Mila, who loved Johan, but the would not rest unto his will; to take her by force he buril not, too fear of Ascapart: Therefore he burile refer by force her force with the Manie of Sic Bevis, that Ascapart should count to him: allthen be bod bone, he sear the Letters to Johan, and the received them as from wir Bevis: another reading them, the was very gladed bear from wir Bevis:

from ber peared friend: Do the gabe the Learer a great Remard, and fent Ascapare with him, not thinking boto the mas berrar's When on they came to the Calife, Afcapare was our into a Bungon, in Beab of firing lis Maller: Then the luiful Carl went to jotion, and told ter how be had ferred ber, and Ascapare was fast in the Castle: Hast thou served me so, land the think not hereby ever to have the will on me: Then the billian would take rabished ber, but the crather than buffer Rayed picked to macry him: Then the was very sortiul, and less for all the knights and Contiemen. The next day was marryed to Johan: And after than freating at higher to bed the ware, and all his classes than freating at higher to bed the ware, and all his classes than freating at the send of the ware with him: Then Johan (to have apparently) year'd him to send all the Company alway, which have apparently presently; the Currains being statement the Bed, manual Castle, and at oft, and as the Eucrains being takent the Beb. ed bim. a bung Lini ober a disease in John came to all amaged, pet they take berneb. In the man time of got into a Lither beat, then die He vo. and tolk all that had boy lotten at a Bonke to be because ppened : ment ; since the right of the e to bie Sabere, ! Melenfrb Jolian, and then they were Royally Entertain

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CHAP. IL.

How Tebis and Sir Sabere raifed Arms against Quebure, with other shings that happened.

for Us Arms, and bed him prepare to battle: So Murdure and his boil came to the life of Wight, where Bevis met with him Acapare made fuch haboth with them that they lieve and reacted furth haboth with them that they lieve all reacted him to them; and Assayare made fuch haboth with them that they lieve all reacted him to the them; and Assayare took Six Murdure and tarried him to the

the Colle, and put him in a Coulton of boiling Plath a d Apprendent, the Alignous Armylled, and the King of england with all forces can away. Six Marches's Lady (ceting this, taken her lake



bown from the Calle, and broke her nick: Then Bevis gabe rich Gifes to the Souldiers, and was placed in Southampton: Thereto married Johan, and afterwards were to to be homoge to? ing Edgar, who was exceding joyful to fee Bevis, and inade tim Lerd Horthal of England: The King of Son would bet bought Arundal, fur New would not fell it him for Gold not Silver: Then the Printer would take him by force, but runing into the Stable, Arundal, but Bevis, and Stains: The King hearing this, was in wrath with Bevis, and fwore he hould be: but at left it was concluded, he from b only be brothed the land: To Bevis furerniered used his whole Charer. Sile: Sabere, ond took Johan, Terry, and Ascapare also g with him.

And an they went, Johnn feit in Labor; then were they in a forcell, and Johns bid them walk away till the king validated: Do Terry's Bevis went together, and Alexpart went another way; and when he was belibered, Asapart came to John, and earcyed her eway: Bevis and Terry came and lound two Children, but not the Bother, to Bevis and Terry came and lound two Children, but not the Bother, to Bevis vool the Antonia, naming the cheft Guy, and the pounger Affec, and want his way, and in his incree was accidentally with a Forester and Tisherman, while in these was accidentally with a forester and Tisherman, while make the create end, to bring them to one Bivis of Hompson, and they bould be reported to thing them to one Bivis of Hompson, and they bould be reported to their waters: Chep was the Information the Gold possition to perform all things accapingly: and he bews and his bone parter, but Sabere, and entertie Knights with him, followed Afcapart, in Palmers Wiede, and observed him near the City of Mambrant, fonger with him, und-lied him on the place. These he redeemed his Johan, he her man for, and except to his Sup, there he menutes his Devis and Terre; at which time, to example their happinets, the Forester and the Terre, at which time, to example their happinets, the Forester and the Terre, at which time, to example their happinets, the Forester and the Terre, at which time, to example their happinets, who chanalise cham both to cheft eare, properties their happinets, the Forester and the Terre, at which time, to have a few gives two Sons, who chanalise cham both to cheft eare, properties their happinets, the Forester has the Terre, at which time, to have a few gives two Sons, who chanalise cham had the mile Fright and Aramabrant, and Ermine, Ring of Armony, the Johns lake; where upon Bevis went in the affect allowed Wans Sons Fing Jour Pillowed was, for whose Sons, who except the Armony, the Johns lake; where

Ring Ermise was to highly affected with his latour, that for Bevis, his take, he twenth Childlan, and a little belone his decrate, Crowned Gny Ring of Armony, and Miles he made a Knight, where they libed a space in great happiners and felicity; but King Jour bearing an inward grunge, as invertent making against Bevis, he once more dediced to try the farcing of War with hint; to be railed a great Army of Beathenith Bararens, who, with unbaunt, at Course, affaulted Bevis in Armony, being led on hy King Jour himlest in pecton. Arefee charged not to guildarly, but they were repulted as brakely, and in those time totally control by the unconquerable power of our English Knights. In this skirnish, his sevis meeting King Jour, had a lingle combats with him, in which make

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after many bloody Ajokes on both fibes, King Jour was dein, e his Army was wholly banquifted: Bevis then putting on the Armog of R. Jour, take to the city of Mainbrant, where he was received and welcomed have by the people: influed of their King: De no founer got postedian of the place, but he made them all become his Servants, and renounce their falls Gods, and corn Children, and by this means, his fair Lady Josian, was the freend rime at Manibrant.

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of England; whereupon, he, wish bevis, folius, and his two want,
Guy and Miles, marcht to London with a great Army, and fought
agains King Edgar, sleve was remained of his Bouldiers by the
twong be has some anno him, and to Sabere, and then he trutenes to Somehampson, where King Edgar fem units him to a parly,
and in the conclusion made a peace with him, and narried to marry
his other Boughter unra Miles, (Bevis his four) whom at that
rime (also) he made Earl at Cornwal; the Miledding deing solemnight with great jos, and bartery of Courtly Recrustions. Sir
Bevis, with Josan, and Guy his wivel fon, returned to cheir liatral Imide. Mireceffe, Bevis lived in Mambraut, and they lofan sell sick, who was accompanied by her belyben Husband both
in Returns and in Beats: Edge very both in one way, and nesse
solemnly Intered in one Graw; by Guy their son, who rasten a
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